



THE AMERICAN LEGION  
DEPARTMENT OF COLORADO

Ehrier-Finkbinder Post No. 82

Elbert - Elizabeth



Please note that the information requested below is necessary and must fully be completed. The awarding of scholarship is heavily based upon the financial need of each potential recipient. We encourage you to elaborate on yourself as a candidate for a named and endowed scholarship award from the American Legion Post 82, Elizabeth, CO.

Your application will be strictly confidential. Incomplete applications will not be accepted. All requested information is subject to verification.

You must maintain at least a 3.0 GPA in high school to qualify for scholarship. Upon awarding of the scholarship you must complete at least 12 units a semester and maintain at least a 3.0 GPA for continuance of scholarship. This scholarship is awarded for maximum of 4 years per student.

Name Ian Armstrong  
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Permanent  
Address 17020 Carlson Dr. Apt 921  
City Parker State CO  
Zip 80134

(☒ Male) (☐ Female) Date of Birth 09/04/2002

College/University/Trade  
School The University of Kansas

Course of  
Interest Social Work or Nursing

Expected Graduation Date May 2024 (not high school)

\*Mother Deceased Occupation —

Employer —

\*Father Elwood Armstrong Jr. Occupation Farrier

Employer Self - Employed

Name and ages of other family members in household (if applicable) None

\*LEGAL GUARDIN

Name of Organization	Dates	Office Held	Award
Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)	August 2016 - May 2020	Treasurer - 2016 President - 2017 District VP of Events - 2017 VP of Public Relations - 2018 First Vice President - 2019	2 Gold State Competition Medals
EHS Theatre Department	August 2016 - May 2020	-	-
Marching Band and Winter Guard	May 2016 - May 2019	Captain	-
Elizabeth Education Foundation	April 2018	-	Students Taking Accountability and Responsibility Seriously Award
Singing Hills Kids Club	May 2019 - August 2019	Student Leader	Over 200 hours served for the SHE Kids Club
Hunter's Legacy and St. Baldricks Foundation	January 2020 - March 2020	Chairman	Over 100 committed to raising money for families in our community who have been affected by cancer.

<b>My Hobbies Include:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Art Therapy</li> <li>• Dancing</li> <li>• Baking</li> <li>• Journaling</li> </ul>	<b>My Abilities Include:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Singing</li> <li>• Acting</li> <li>• Critical Thinking</li> <li>• Microsoft Office Proficiency</li> </ul>
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I have also held a full time job for two years where I am a server at an assisted living so I see myself as kind, caring, and helpful. I was also a cashier at an amusement park so I am proficient with cashiering equipment and counting money.

I have always taken my education very seriously. In high school, I maintained a 3.8 GPA and always believed that education is important and continuing it even more so. As I search for my purpose in life, I look back on how I've lived, how I've grown, and what has impacted me the most. In 2017, my mother passed away due to a brain aneurysm due to a blood clot. My mother was my world and instilled a passion of helping people in me that will last forever. Although I have not quite decided on whether Social Work or Nursing is going to be the career pathway for me, they both involve helping people and making others lives better. My father has had this passion to help people too, especially me. A strong belief that I have had instilled in me is that everything wanted in this world needs to be earned, including income. My father was the one who told me, "if you want something in this world you have to earn it, it isn't just given." I admire his advice and hold it with me everyday. My dad is currently working two jobs and I'm working a full time job and going to school. I am working to help support myself, but my dad is working two jobs to help support me in my future education. He works so hard for me and we are still not financially stable enough to pay for enough of my college without debt. This scholarship would allow my family to stay out of debt and allow me to help other people in my future career, and make this world a better place for everyone.